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## **BOYD LEADS CHARGE ON FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY, PAYGO**

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Congressman Allen Boyd (D-North Florida), a leader of the Blue Dog Coalition, t

With Congressman Boyd's strong support, the House of Representatives previously has passed two fisc

Both PAYGO-compliant versions of the bill were blocked by the President and Republicans in Congress

"Those of us in North Florida know that you have to pay your bills. You either pay them today, or you pa

"The people of North Florida did not send me to Washington to kick the can down the road and let the ne

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*Below: A letter sent by Congressman Boyd to his colleagues in Congress this week, urging the*

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**Eisenhower: 'We cannot mortgage the material assets of our grandchildren'**

Dear Colleague,

As the debate continues over whether Congress should comply with pay-as-you-go (PAYGO) budget

“Another factor in maintaining balance involves the element of time. As we peer into society's future, we  
– *President Dwight Eisenhower, Farewell Address, January 17, 1961*

President Eisenhower’s insightful statement also recognizes the serious consequences of not paying

This week and always, we hope you will keep President Eisenhower’s wise words in mind each time

Sincerely,

/s  
John Tanner, M.C.

/s  
Allen Boyd, M.C.